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Dear Barbara,

Pursuant to our previous conversation, please transfer all files and records pertaining to ACLARA Biosciences to Peter Dehlinger at IOTA PI Law (650/324-0880).

Your services and assistance have been greatly appreciated. Please let me know if I can minimize any inconveniences or assist in the transfer.

Sincerely,

Samuel Kais  
Associate Director of Intellectual Property  
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cc: Herb Hooper